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Applicant:

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Title:

DROPLET EJECTION APPARATUS AND METHOD OF

DETECTING EJECTION FAILURE IN DROPLET

**EJECTION HEADS** 

Attorney Docket:

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Commissioner for Patents

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.